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SOUTH FLORIDA AND TREASURE COAST WEEKLY LANE CLOSURES AND WORK ZONE ADVISORY

FORT LAUDERDALE — [Florida's Turnpike](#) announces updated lane closures and work zones due to construction and maintenance projects in Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach, Martin and St. Lucie counties, for the week beginning Sunday, Nov. 15.

REGIONAL PROJECTS

TURNPIKE & SAWGRASS EXPRESSWAY ELECTRONIC SIGN MAINTENANCE – VARIOUS LOCATIONS

- One or two lanes may be closed for maintenance of overhead electronic signs between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m. at the following locations.
 - o **Northbound and southbound Turnpike at Milepost 74, south of Glades Road** – Sunday night, Nov. 15
 - o **Southbound Turnpike at Milepost 51, near Griffin Road** – Monday night, Nov. 16
 - o **Northbound Turnpike at Milepost 53, near Griffin Road** – Monday night, Nov. 16
 - o **Northbound Turnpike at Milepost 85, south of Boynton Beach Blvd.** – Tuesday night, Nov. 17
 - o **Southbound Turnpike at Milepost 101, north of Okeechobee Blvd.** – Tuesday night, Nov. 17
 - o **Northbound Turnpike at Milepost 114, south of Indiantown Road** – Wednesday night, Nov. 18
 - o **Southbound Sawgrass Expressway, south of Sunrise Blvd.** – Wednesday night, Nov. 18
 - o **Southbound Turnpike at Milepost 21, near Kendall Drive** – Thursday night, Nov. 19
 - o **Northbound and southbound Turnpike at Milepost 34, near NW 106th Street** – Thursday night, Nov. 19

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

TURNPIKE WIDENING, SOUND WALLS AND EXPRESS LANES – SW 216th ST. TO EUREKA DR. (EXITS 11-13)

- **All northbound Turnpike lanes** between Southwest 211th Street and Eureka Drive **will be closed** from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. **for up to two nights** beginning Tuesday, Nov. 17.

- **DETOUR:** Traffic will be directed to exit at Southwest 211th Street and take the Turnpike frontage road north to Southwest 107th Avenue. Drivers should then take U.S.1 north to Marlin Road, go west to Eureka Drive and continue to the Turnpike's northbound on-ramp.
- In addition, one or two **northbound or southbound** Turnpike lanes may be closed nightly at various locations between Southwest 216th Street and Eureka Drive/Southwest 184th Street between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
- **U.S. 1/Dixie Highway** – One or two lanes in each direction may be closed nightly at the Turnpike interchange between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
- **Caribbean Boulevard** – The **eastbound and westbound left-turn lanes** at the Turnpike interchange will remain **closed 24/7 for approximately one week.**
 - **DETOURS:** **Eastbound traffic** wishing to turn left to get to Southwest 107th Avenue should take the Turnpike frontage road south to Southwest 211th Street/Cutler Ridge Drive, go east and then take the northbound frontage straight to Southwest 107th Avenue. **Westbound traffic** wishing to turn left to access southbound Florida's Turnpike should continue heading west to U.S. 1, go south to Allapattah Road, east to Southwest 211th Street and enter the southbound Turnpike.
- **Southwest 211th Street** – One lane in each direction at the Turnpike interchange may be closed between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday, Nov. 16, through Friday, Nov. 20.
- **Eureka Drive OR Quail Roost Drive** – One lane in each direction may be closed nightly between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19, and between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday, Nov. 16, through Friday, Nov. 20.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Turnpike will be widened from four lanes to six, eight and 10 lanes. Express lanes, similar to those on I-95, will be constructed. Sound barrier walls will be built along residential areas on the east side of the Turnpike. Work also includes asphalt milling and resurfacing, bridge widening, drainage, lighting, signage and traffic signal improvements on local roads. Construction began in August 2013 and is scheduled for completion in the fall of 2016. Approximate cost: \$41.6 million.

TURNPIKE WIDENING, SOUND WALLS AND EXPRESS LANES – EUREKA DRIVE TO KILLIAN PARKWAY

- **One or two Turnpike lanes in each direction between Southwest 104th Street/Killian Parkway and Southwest 184th Street/Eureka Drive may be closed** nightly between 9 p.m. and 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19. A third lane in either direction may be closed between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m., if needed. At least one lane in each direction will remain open at all times.
- **Northbound Turnpike entrance from Southwest 120th Street – May be closed** nightly between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
 - **DETOUR:** Traffic will be detoured through the Snapper Creek service plaza.
- **Southbound Turnpike exit to Southwest 120th Street – May be closed** nightly between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
 - **DETOUR:** Traffic will be detoured through the Snapper Creek service plaza.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Turnpike will be widened to eight and 12 lanes, and express lanes, similar to those on I-95, will be added. The Turnpike/S.R. 874 interchange will be realigned. Sound barrier walls will be built along residential areas. Work also includes asphalt milling and resurfacing, bridge widening, drainage, lighting, landscaping, signage and traffic signal improvements on local roads. Construction began in March 2014 and is scheduled for completion in early 2017. Approximate cost: \$145.3 million.

TURNPIKE WIDENING, SOUND WALLS AND EXPRESS LANES – KILLIAN PARKWAY TO SUNSET DRIVE

- ***One or two Turnpike lanes in each direction from Southwest 104th Street/Killian Parkway to Southwest 72nd Street/Sunset Drive may close*** nightly between 9:30 p.m. and 5 a.m. Monday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Turnpike will be widened from six to 10 lanes, including express lanes similar to those on I-95. Sound barrier walls will be built along residential areas. The Turnpike on-ramps at Kendall Drive will be reconfigured. Work also includes asphalt milling and resurfacing, bridge widening, drainage, lighting, signage and traffic signal improvements on local roads. Construction began in May 2015 and will continue through early 2018. Approximate cost: \$73.9 million.

TURNPIKE WIDENING, SOUND WALLS AND EXPRESS LANES – SUNSET DRIVE TO BIRD ROAD

- ***One or two Turnpike lanes in each direction between Southwest 72nd Street/Sunset Drive and Bird Road may close*** nightly from 9:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Turnpike will be widened from six to 10 lanes, including express lanes similar to those on I-95. Sound barrier walls will be built along residential areas. The project entails major improvements at the Bird Road interchange. Work also includes asphalt milling and resurfacing, bridge widening, drainage, lighting, signage and traffic signal improvements. Construction began in July 2015 and will continue through early 2018. Approximate cost: \$54.4 million.

TURNPIKE TOLL EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE – VARIOUS LOCATIONS

- One lane may be closed between 9 p.m. and 5 a.m. at the following locations for toll equipment maintenance.
 - ***Southbound exit to Northwest 27th Avenue/University Drive*** – Tuesday night, Nov. 17
 - ***Southbound exit to Northwest 106th Street*** – Wednesday night, Nov. 18

I-95 PAVEMENT REHABILITATION – GOLDEN GLADES

- ***Southbound I-95 ramp to Florida's Turnpike and westbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway*** – Will be closed and a detour will be in place Monday, Nov. 16, through Thursday, Nov. 19, between the hours of 9 p.m. and 5:30 a.m. and Friday, Nov. 20 & Saturday, Nov. 21 between the hours of 10 p.m. and 10 a.m.
 - **DETOUR:** Traffic can exit at NE 183 Street/Miami Gardens Drive and turn west; turn south onto S.R. 7/U.S. 441/NW 2 Ave; turn west onto NW 7 Avenue Extension for the on ramp to Florida's Turnpike or continue on NW 7 Avenue Extension, which becomes westbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway.

- **Eastbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway and Florida's Turnpike exit to southbound I-95** – Will be closed and a detour will be in place Monday, Nov. 16, through Thursday, Nov. 19, between the hours of 9 p.m. and 5:30 a.m. and Friday, Nov. 20 & Saturday, Nov. 21 between the hours of 10 p.m. and 10 a.m.
 - DETOUR: Eastbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway and Florida's Turnpike commuters who wish to access the connector ramp to southbound I-95 can exit at S.R. 7/U.S. 441/NW 7 Avenue; turn south onto NW 7 Avenue; continue south and turn east onto NW 151 Street for southbound I-95.
- **Northbound I-95 ramp to Florida's Turnpike and westbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway** – Will be closed and a detour will be in place Monday, Nov. 16, through Thursday, Nov. 19, between the hours of 9 p.m. and 5:30 a.m. and Friday, Nov. 20 & Saturday, Nov. 21 between the hours of 10 p.m. and 10 a.m.
 - DETOUR: Northbound I-95 commuters who wish to access the connector ramp to westbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway and Florida's Turnpike can exit at S.R. 7/U.S. 441/NW 2 Avenue; continue north on S.R. 7; turn west onto NW 7 Avenue Extension for the entrance ramp to Florida's Turnpike or stay on NW 7 Avenue Extension, which becomes westbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expressway.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District 6 Office is conducting a pavement rehabilitation project on I-95. For project information contact Sergies Duarte at Sergies.Duarte@dot.state.fl.us.

BROWARD COUNTY

TURNPIKE ALL-ELECTRONIC TOLLING CONVERSION – HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD & GRIFFIN ROAD

- **Northbound Turnpike entrance from Griffin Road – Closed nightly as needed** from 9 p.m. to 4:30 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
 - DETOUR: Traffic should take Griffin Road or Orange drive east to U.S. 441, go north to I-595 and then take the northbound Turnpike on-ramp.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: All-electronic tolling gantries will be constructed to replace the ramp toll plazas at the Turnpike's Hollywood/Pines Boulevard and Griffin Road interchanges. All-electronic tolling was implemented on Aug. 29, 2015. One existing toll lane will be converted to a SunPass-only lane at the Northwest 199th Street/Dolphin Center toll plaza in Miami-Dade. The project also includes asphalt milling and resurfacing at the Northwest 199th Street/Dolphin Center and County Line Road interchange ramps. Approximate cost: \$10.6 million.

TURNPIKE & SUNRISE BOULEVARD INTERCHANGE MODIFICATIONS

- **On Sunrise Boulevard**
 - **One lane eastbound and westbound may be closed nightly** between 7 p.m. and 6 a.m. from Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19. Two lanes in each direction may be closed nightly between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m.
 - **The inside lane eastbound and westbound will be closed daily** between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. from Monday, Nov. 16, through Friday, Nov. 20.

- **On Florida's Turnpike**

- **The southbound entrance ramp from Sunrise Boulevard to Florida's Turnpike will be** closed nightly between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m. from Tuesday, Nov. 17, through Thursday, Nov. 19. The detour route will be posted.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike is modifying and improving the interchange with Sunrise Boulevard, and implementing All-Electronic Tolling at the interchange. It is anticipated that the project will cost \$50 million and work will continue through late 2019.

75-EXPRESS CONSTRUCTION

- One lane of the **ramp from southbound I-75 to southbound Florida's Turnpike** will be closed nightly from 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
- One **northbound** lane **and** one **southbound** lane **on Florida's Turnpike**, north and south of I-75 will be closed nightly from 9 p.m. 6 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.
- One lane on **the northbound Turnpike exit to I-75** will be closed nightly from 9 p.m. 6 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, through Thursday, Nov. 19.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Florida Department of Transportation is implementing express lanes along 28 miles of the I-75 and State Road (SR) 826 (Palmetto Expressway) corridors, from just south of the SR 836 (Dolphin Expressway), in Miami-Dade County, to I-595 in Broward County. Visit the [75-Express website](#) for project information or contact Fiorella Alvarez at fiorella@iscprgroup.com.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

TURNPIKE TOLL EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE – MILEPOST 88

- **The southbound SunPass only lanes at the Lantana Toll Plaza at Milepost 88 will be closed** from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m., on Tuesday night, Nov. 17. All traffic will be redirected through the cash toll lanes.

ST. LUCIE COUNTY

PORT ST. LUCIE/FORT PIERCE SERVICE PLAZA RECONSTRUCTION – (MILEPOST 144)

- **Beginning Thursday, Nov. 19, E85 fuel will be available ONLY at the northbound fueling island.** Temporarily, E85 fuel cannot be dispensed at the southbound fueling island, but southbound traffic may instead use the northbound fueling island. The Fort Drum Service Plaza (Milepost 184) and West Palm Beach Service Plaza (Milepost 94) offer alternative fueling stops for southbound traffic.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The \$21 million project to renovate and reconstruct the Port St. Lucie/Fort Pierce Service Plaza includes a 40,000-square-foot restaurant building; 3,500-square-foot convenience store and fueling pumps; and expanded truck parking.